

REMARKS

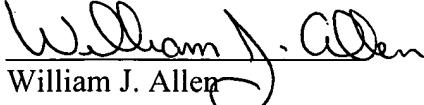
In the Office Action of November 18, 2003, claims 1-39 were deemed to be subject to restriction or election. More specifically, the Office Action requires restriction to Group I (Claims 1-9), and Group II (Claims 10-39).

By this Amendment and Response, Group I (claims 1-9) are provisionally elected with traverse. The restriction requirement is respectfully submitted to be improper for at least the reason that the claims of Group I (Claims 1-9), and Group II (Claims 10-39) are not related as product and process of use as indicated by the Office Action. In addition, all of the claims involve the same inventive concept of patient directed therapy management through creation of personalized therapy programs. In view of the forgoing, Applicants respectfully request that the requirements be withdrawn upon reconsideration.

In addition, new claims 40-49 have been added which fall within provisionally elected Group I. No new matter has been introduced into the application. The claims as now presented are believed to be in allowable condition. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application and allowance of all pending and new claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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